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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

Prior to calculation of the fees, please amend the application as follows.

In the Claims

~~Please cancel claims 1-9, 19-39 and 49-56 without prejudice.~~

Please amend the claims as follows:

A1
11.(amended) The method of claim 10, wherein the agent is an antibody or a fragment thereof
that increases cross-linking of biliary glycoprotein.

A2
41.(amended) The method of claim 40, wherein the agent is an antibody or a fragment thereof
that increases cross-linking of biliary glycoprotein.

Please add the following new claims:

A3
57.(new) The method of claim 11, wherein the antibody is a chimeric antibody or a
humanized antibody.

58.(new) The method of claim 11, wherein the antibody is a CD66a monoclonal antibody.